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## RESPONSE TO SEPTEMBER 29, 2008, OFFICE ACTION

This responds to the Office action dated September 29, 2008. Reconsideration of the outstanding rejections is earnestly solicited in view of the accompanying amendments and remarks. Please amend the referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 8.

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